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## **NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the action dated May 2, 2007, finally rejecting claims 1,2,9 and 10.

A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136 to extend the time to respond to the final rejection for 1 month(s) to and including June 9, 2008 is enclosed.

The appeal fee was previously paid. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050 under order number 04015-005001.

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